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Sir:

This paper responds to the action mailed 29 October 2008. Please consider the elections and remarks herein, and please enter the following amendments prior to examination on the merits:

Amendments to the Claims are in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.